SIR WALTER RALEGH^ RETURN
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her | irtues and her justice He hath brought hither a supposed prince and left hostages in his place. The Queen gives good ear unto them

30^ *September* NEW PLAYS

There were two new plays by the Lord Admiral's men this month, the one called *Crack me this Nut,* and the other *The Worlffs Tragedy*

2nd October THE HIGH PRICE OF CORN

In the county of Leicester is great complaint of the high price of all corn and grain, to the grief of the poor people whose want is increased by the evil custom of the farmers and graziers in those parts that feed their sheep with pease, which in time of scarcity as the best relief that the poor find for their bread

6th October THE SOLDIERS FURNISHED BY THE CLERGY

Her Majesty being desirous to be truly informed of the state of the whole forces of the realm, the Lords Lieutenant have been directed to have the enrolled soldiers viewed, mustered, and trained The clergy also who in '88 found certain able men as well of horse as of foot are now to review and supply the like number , and where there is defect in their armour, horse or furniture, to cause the same to be amended or supplied, and perfect rolls to be made of the names and surnames of the soldiers and of those that set them forth which shall be sent to the Council

TROTJBLE OVER THE STARCH MONOPOLY

Of kte certain apprentices of London violently took away a looo Ibs weight of starch that had been seized on for her Majesty's use by Mr James Anton, her patentee, and not only earned the same to a warehouse but did grievously beat and

wound Mr Anton's deputies The Lord Mayor shall examine this foul outrage and not only commit the offenders to prison, but certify the manner of the outrage to the Council

$tb October M LOMENIE'S STOUT SPEECHES,

Sir Roger Williams is returned from the French King, and with him one Monsieur de Lomenie, a secretary of the King's Chamber, who both by die King's letters and his own speech